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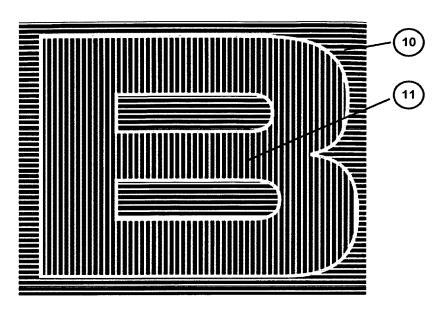
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(57) Abstract: The invention concerns a method for the replication by hot-embossing, hot-stamping or plastic injection moulding of an optically variable transitory image relief pattern characterized by the use of a Silicon origination shim fabricated through a micromachining process. The invention also comprises objects and structures obtained according to said method.